



Attorney Docket No. JVLAM1

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

**BERNARD BENDINER**

Serial No.: 10/685,897

Filing Date: October 15, 2003

For: A METHOD OF INCREASING THE  
CONDUCTIVITY OF WATER AND  
USES THEREFOR

Examiner: Kara M. Parker

Group Art Unit No. 1731

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 18, 2004, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows:

Cancel claims 1-23 inclusive.